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ROME FOR FODAG

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAGR WFP UN AORG
SUBJECT: WFP PLEDGE TARGET

REGS: (A) STATE 106137; (B) PARIS 13937 (NOTAL)

1. FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR
WORLD FOOD PROGRAM (WFP) TELLS US GOF WORKING ON
STATEMENT TO BE MADE "EITHER THROUGH EC OR OUTSIDE OF
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IT" IN WHICH \$950 MILLION WFP PLEDGE TARGET FOR
1979/80 WOULD BE CRITICIZED AS TOO HIGH TO OBTAIN
OPTIMUM RESULTS, PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF PRODUCTION-
INCREASE/PRICE-DECLINE TREND FOR WORLD AGRICULTURE.
STATEMENT WOULD ALSO DECLARE THAT THIS TARGET LEVEL IS
CONSIDERED "NON-COMPULSORY." IT WOULD NOT RPT NOT
PROPOSE ALTERNATE LEVELS, BUT IT WOULD QUESTION MEANS

BY WHICH EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ARRIVED AT \$950 MILLION
FIGURE.

2. SOURCE ADDED THAT, IN PROMOTING SUCH A STATEMENT,
GOF WOULD DRAW ATTENTION TO FACT THAT SMALL AMOUNT OF
FRENCH BILATERAL PLEDGES TO WFP WAS COUNTER-BALANCED
BY COUNTRY'S CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGH MULTILATERAL
CHANNELS, WHICH WERE SIGNIFICANT.
GAMMON.

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